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Connecticut AFL-CIO

Dear Mr. Turley:

Respondent Connecticut AFL-CIO requests a seven-day extension of time from November 5 until November 12, 1998 within which to respond to the complaint. Although it has been determined that I will be representing respondent in this matter, we have been unable to prepare a response by November 5 because respondent's officers and staff have been so heavily preoccupied with work in connection with union member involvement in the national and state elections that just ended. Now that the elections are over, we are confident that we can prepare a response in short order.

We appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request.

Yours truly,

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cc: John W. Olsen, President, Connecticut AFL-CIO